

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 STATE 120224

43

ORIGIN EB-11

INFO OCT-01 EUR-25 IO-13 ADP-00 AGR-20 AID-20 CIAE-00

COME-00 FRB-02 INR-10 NSAE-00 RSC-01 TRSE-00 XMB-07

OPIC-12 CIEP-02 LAB-06 SIL-01 OMB-01 STR-08 SS-15

NSC-10 L-03 H-02 SSO-00 NSCE-00 PA-03 PRS-01 USIE-00

INRE-00 /174 R

DRAFTED BY EB/ ORF/ TRP: HFWANNING: JB

6-20/73 EXT:22349

APPROVED BY EB/ ORF/ TRP: JJINGERSOLL

EUR/ WE: GHSCHEINBAUM

----- 008577

O R 201913 Z JUN 73

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE IMMEDIATE

INFO USMISSION USUN NY

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE STATE 120224

E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: EAGR, EGEN

SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL COCOA AGREEMENT

REF: THE HAGUE 2741

1. EMBASSY SHOULD BE AWARE, AND SHOULD INFORM MRS. SMIT-KROES, THAT USG DOES NOT REPEAT NOT OPPOSE ENTRY- INTO-FORCE OF SUBJECT AGREEMENT AND HAS NO DESIRE INFLUENCE DECISION OF ANY SIGNATORY ON WHETHER TO RATIFY AGREEMENT.

2. TWO EXAMPLES OF SUBSTANTIVE PROBLEMS RAISED IN UNCLEAR OR AMBIGUOUS ARTICLES ARE ARTICLES 20 AND 28. FIRST ATTEMPTS DEFINE ROLES OF COCOA ORGANIZATION'S STAFF BUT FAILS DEFINE CLEARLY HIERARCHY BETWEEN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 STATE 120224

AND BUFFER STOCK MANAGER. WE SEE POTENTIAL SERIOUS
OPERATING PROBLEMS IF THERE CONFLICT BETWEEN THESE OFFICERS.
SECOND ARTICLE DEFINES PRICES (FOR PURPOSES OPERATING
QUOTA ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM) IN TERMS OF AVERAGES ON COCOA
FUTURES MARKETS. THIS DEFINITION WAS APPROPRIATE WHEN
QUOTAS APPLIED ON SALES IN EARLIER DRAFTS OF AGREEMENT.
WHEN EXPORT QUOTAS AGREED UPON, MORE APPROPRIATE PRICE
TRIGGERS WOULD HAVE BEEN SPOT QUOTATIONS. WHILE THERE ARE
OTHER PROBLEM AREAS, MOST ARE TECHNICAL IN NATURE AND WE
SEE LITTLE PURPOSE IN RAISING THEM WITH MRS. SMIT- KROES. ROGERS

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNNNMAFVVZCZ

*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a

*** Current Classification *** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 20 JUN 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: garlanwa
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973STATE120224
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: HFWANNING: JB
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: n/a
Errors: n/a
Film Number: n/a
From: SECSTATE WASHDC
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19730625/aaaajfm.tel
Line Count: 76
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ORIGIN EB
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 73 THE HAGUE 2741
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: garlanwa
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 19 SEP 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <19-Sep-2001 by smithrj>; APPROVED <20-Nov-2001 by garlanwa>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: <DBA CORRECTED> srp 980218
Subject: INTERNATIONAL COCOA AGREEMENT
TAGS: EAGR, EGEN
To: THE HAGUE
USUN NEW YORK INFO USUN NEW YORK
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005